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## INSURGENTS BEST REPUBLICANS

## Advocates of Free Crude Oil Win a Decisive Victory in the House

COAL OPERATORS  
REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE  
UNION'S EXISTENCEA Conference Between Union Officers  
and Operators---All Demands of the  
Former are Refused.

(Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—At a meeting here today between the representatives of the coal operators and officials of the United Mine Workers of America to consider the demands made by the miners, the operators refused all of the demands and submitted instead a proposition to extend for another term of three years the wage agreement brought about by the anthracite coal commission. In order to convey the offer to the officials of the various districts the conference adjourned to meet again tomorrow. The wage agreement expired March 31, but the miners are still working under it. The agreement does not provide for the recognition of the union and this is said to be the real bone of contention.

Speaker Cannon Makes a Strong  
Appeal to Rally Republican  
Forces---Is Unsuccessful  
In His Efforts.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 7.—This was a bad day for the Republican organization in the house. By a coalition between some Republican "insurgents" and the Democrats the ways and means committee was bowled over and the advocates of free crude oil and its products won a signal victory when the amendment offered by Norris, of Nebraska, placing the insignificant duty of 1 per cent ad valorem on those articles, was adopted by a substantial majority. The decision of the chairman that the amendments could not be offered to an oil schedule other than the one covered by the special rule of last Monday, which provided for the removal of the countervailing duty on crude petroleum and applied an ad valorem duty of 25 per cent, was overturned and not even a fervid appeal by the speaker in his endeavor to rally the Republican forces was sufficient to stem the tide against the avowedly of the Standard Oil company. On all other propositions the committee was sustained and the barley schedule ran the gauntlet without change. Tea and coffee were placed on the free list.

AMERICAN CROOK  
HAS BEEN REFUSED LANDING IN  
THREE COUNTRIESBanished From San Francisco and Risks  
a Long Term in the Penitentiary by  
Returning.

(Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Banished from three countries because of his record, John Griffin, an alleged safe cracker who was exiled by Judge Cook of this city, risked a long term in the penitentiary by attempting to re-enter his native land as a stowaway on the steamer Mariposa, which arrived from Tahiti today. He managed in some way to free himself from the irons in which he was confined when his identity was learned and left a note that he had jumped overboard, and secreted himself in the ship, but was detected. To escape prosecution on the charge of safe cracking Griffin chose the alternative of leaving this country, but was not allowed to land in Australia or Papeete.

Claims that Oil  
Trust is Abused

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, April 7.—"Miss Ida Tarbell is entitled to a patent on the alleged Standard Oil conspiracy of 1879," declared Oil Attorney Milburn today during his argument before the United States circuit court in the government's case to dissolve the Standard Oil as a violator of the Sherman act. "And the government is here trying to deprive her of it," he said, turning to Government Attorney Frank Kellogg. Milburn compared the company to a human body, declaring that to separate any of its parts would be to dismember and destroy it. He claimed that the Standard merely led the way for independent concerns.

EXPEDITION  
SUCCESSFUL IN  
FAR NORTH

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Stefanson-Anderson expedition sent out about a year ago by the American museum of natural history to secure specimens from Arctic Alaska has pushed so far north that a preliminary report sent back by them last October has been nearly seven months in reaching New York. The party has already secured rare specimens of mountain sheep, deer and other animals and are now preparing to push westward to investigate the little known inhabitants of the interior.

EXCITEMENT  
IN FLORIDA  
LEGISLATURE

(By Associated Press.)

TALLAHASSEE (Florida), April 7.—When Governor Gilchrist's message was debated in the legislature today Senator Beard moved to table the passage which commended the making of Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday. The excitement ran to a high pitch when Senator Broome, a confederate veteran, led the argument in favor of the passage of Beard's motion, which was lost.

MIDDLE WEST  
IN THE GRIP OF  
SEVERE STORM

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, April 7.—The middle west was in the grip of a storm last night and today, which has almost paralyzed communication through several of the middle western states. The tornado has wrought a terrible damage and a number of places report loss of life. For a time today only one wire was working out of Chicago eastward.

CAT TRAVELS  
SIXTY MILES IN  
TWENTY HOURS

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Exiled in disgrace from his home in this city because of his appetite for birds and small chickens, Jacques, a fine Angora cat, returned in twenty hours from Sonoma county to the home of his mistress, Miss Hazel Woods. The cat traveled a distance of sixty miles.

SUES TO RECOVER  
HAMILTON SHORTAGE

(Special to the Bonanza.)

GOLDFIELD, April 7.—Yesterday afternoon the district attorney's office filed suit against county clerk and treasurer, Joseph Hamilton and his bondsmen, for the recovery of some \$26,962. The money is county funds which were deposited during the term of Col. Ed. Hardy, in the State bank and the Nye and Ormsby County bank, and which the county has been unable to recover. George Wingfield, John S. Cook, W. A. Ingalls and K. M. Patrick, Hamilton's sureties are named as parties defendant to the suit.

THIS IS INTERESTING.

LONDON, April 7.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says Foreign Minister Iswolsky has tendered his resignation and is waiting the emperor's decision.

announced; Electa and Florence Harper, daughters of John Harper; Mrs. Robert Laughlin, who was Miss Rea, of the recent half billion dollar chorus, and whose engagement was announced from the stage at that time; the Misses Irwin, Painter, Penning and McClellands.

RICH GIRLS  
WORE TIGHTS

(By Associated Press.)

PITTSBURGH, April 7.—At Carnegie Music hall last evening there was given a public exhibition of dancing and pantomime by the daughters of the very rich of Pittsburgh. It was for the benefit of the Y. W. T. U., and it is estimated that the wealth of the fathers of the young women who appeared in tights, short skirts and other paraphernalia for striking pantomime was not less than \$250,000,000.

Marriage has depleted the ranks of the former famous half billion dollar schorus which created such a furor last July, but there were still a good half hundred of the most beautiful and richest girls of Pittsburgh.

Among those on the program were Miss Helen Frick, Miss Virginia Frew, daughter of the personal representative of Andrew Carnegie, and whose coming marriage has just been

BAD DAY FOR  
FORTUNE TELLERS  
IN REDDING

(By Associated Press.)

REDDING (Cal.), April 7.—Fifty dollars a day license fee is to be paid by fortune tellers and clairvoyants who want to do business here, according to an ordinance passed by the city trustees last night.

SPIDER-WASP  
LEASE TO SHIP  
HIGH GRADE

WONDER, April 7.—Dave Craig, the original locator of the Spider and Wasp ground, has been in charge of the property of that company for many months, since the bank mix-up played havoc with the treasury of the company, and caused the suspension of work. Dave is a prospector by instinct and education, and a piece of good looking rock makes him uneasy. He must go at it with his hammer as soon as he gets his hands on it. In looking over the Spider and Wasp ground recently, he got to scratching into the dump at the old Toohay lease and found so much good ore mixed in with the waste that he decided to sort over the dump. He already has about five tons of high grade ore picked out, and is still engaged in getting it together. This lease in the early days of the camp was one of the biggest paying spots in the district, and was a shipper of high grade. At the expiration of the lease the work was not continued by the company. In the rush to get out shipments a lot of careless sorting must have been done, as Mr. Craig finds little difficulty in getting rich ore from the dump.

Easter footwear; season's latest styles at The Toggery. 4-S-1f

MRS. A. D. MYERS  
SUES HUSBAND  
FOR DIVORCE

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, April 7.—A. D. Myers, who is reported to have made a million dollars as a Goldfield mining operator, is the defendant in a suit for divorce filed in the superior court here by Mrs. Mattie M. Myers.

SUICIDES JUST  
BECAUSE BREAD  
WOULDN'T RISE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—"If my bread does not rise, I will jump into the sea," said F. H. Sluhme, a baker on board the Mariposa on March 31 while the ship was enroute here. The bread did not rise and Sluhme has not been seen since. It is believed that he carried out his threat.

ANOTHER VENIRE SUMMONED  
IN CALHOUN CASE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Fifteen veniremen were examined in the Calhoun trial today without securing the twelfth juror. The thirty-third venire has been summoned to be in court tomorrow.

## THE METAL MARKET.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 7.—Lead, 4.075 @ 4.10; copper, 12.875 @ 13.00; silver, 50.875.

Old papers 25c per hundred at Bonanza office.

WOOL GROWERS  
OFFER REWARD  
FOR MURDERERS

(By Associated Press.)

CHEYENNE, April 7.—Sheriff Aiston, of Big Horn county today began a rigid investigation into the raid last Saturday on the sheep camp in Spring creek in which three men were killed. The sheriff is said to have a good clew as a large number of old-time stockmen are believed to have banded together to drive the sheep men from the range. The wool growers have offered a reward of \$2000.

CASTRO HAS A  
GROUCH AGAINST  
GREAT BRITAIN

(By Associated Press.)

FORT DE FRANCE, April 7.—Castro, the former president of Venezuela has taken up a temporary residence here owing to the British government's refusal to allow him to disembark at Port of Spain, Trinidad. He is much wrought up over the British action and the treatment which he has received from President Gomez, who he accuses of rank ingratitude.

FIGHTING BOB GIVEN  
RECEPTION AT MERCED

(By Associated Press.)

MERCED, April 7.—Rear Admiral Evans and party arrived here today on their way into the Yosemite valley. The admiral was given a reception at the depot by a crowd of about a thousand people.

CONGRESS ACTED WITHIN  
CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Attorney General Wickersham has decided that congress was fully within the constitutional rights in the legislation directing that marines be restored to duty aboard warships.

WELL KNOWN MINISTER  
AND AUTHOR IS DEAD

CHICAGO, April 7.—The Rev. James Locke Batchelder, teacher, minister, author, journalist and publisher, is dead here after an illness due to the infirmities of old age. The Rev. Mr. Batchelder was the senior alumnus of Amburst college, receiving his degree of A. B. in 1840.

ATTORNEYS  
SEVERELY SCORE  
EACH OTHER

TULSA (Okla.), April 7.—Arguments were concluded today in the motion to quash the indictments against governor Haskell and five co-defendants in the land fraud cases and the motion was taken under advisement by United States District Judge John A. Marshall of Utah. A decision is not expected for several days. Attorneys Cruse and Stuart for the defense and Sylvester Rush for the government occupied the time this afternoon and severely scored each other in their arguments.

WITNESS IS  
ON VERGE OF  
COLLAPSE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—E. A. S. Blake, the state's chief witness in the case of A. S. Newburg who is accused on an attempt to bribe a juror in the Ruef case, was too ill to appear in court to complete his testimony and his evidence given at previous trials was read into record. Blake is on the verge of a complete nervous collapse in the county jail.

BIG TUNNEL AT  
AUSTIN FINISHED

AUSTIN, April 7.—During the past week, the current of air pouring through the Austin-Manhattan tunnel has been so strong that it has been necessary to enclose the portal. The current is so strong that the miners' candles blew out. This shows that the long bad stretch of heavy ground is practically passed and that the remaining distance to the Frost shaft is comparatively simple work. The end of the long stretch is practically in sight. The next thing on the program is the cutting of the big underground station wherein is to be installed the hoisting plant and pumps necessary for sinking the Frost shaft an additional 400 feet. The air compressor plant is ready for action, with a capacity to handle twenty-five power drills.

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